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OUTLINES.

The remaining juror to try Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White in New York, last June, was selected yesterday and court took a recess till Monday morning; other members of the jury, which contains 11 married men and one bachelor, may be dismissed, otherwise the trial will proceed.——A double-header freight train on the Seaboard Air Line yesterday went through the bridge near Norlina, two men being killed and the train and bridge wrecked.——Secretary Root denies reports of statements alleged in newspaper dispatches sent out from Washington, to have been made by him to the effect that war with Japan was imminent, and that the Japanese government had delivered an ultimatum to the United States concerning the San Francisco school incident.——Harrisburg, Pa., had a $250,000 fire yesterday morning.——In the Senate yesterday, both Republicans and Democrats eulogized the late Senator Gorman, of Maryland, Senator Frye, of Maine, declaring that it was Mr. Gorman who elected President Cleveland over James G. Blaine.——The sub-committee of the Military Affairs Committee yesterday by a strict party vote tabled the resolution of Representative Simms, of Tennessee, commending the President for his action in the Brownsville affair, the Republicans refusing to commend the President.——The members of Congress yesterday signed up for the increase of their salaries from $417 per month to $625.——R. G. Run & Co.'s weekly review of trade shows that while 60 of the most active railway securities fell to the lowest level since 1904, there is unprecedented commercial activity, the cotton industry being especially prosperous.——By unanimous vote yesterday the House Committee on Inter-State and Foreign Commerce reported favorably a resolution to investigate the methods and doings of all cotton exchanges in this country.——New York markets: Money on call easy 2 1-2 to 3, ruling rate 2 3-4, closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-2; spot cotton steady 11 cents; flour steady ,but quiet; wheat irregular; corn steady, No. 2 56 1-4 elevator; oats steady, mixed 42; turpentine firm 74 1-2 to 75; rosin firm strained common to good 4.40 to 4.45.

"Hints for Young Men," is what a writer writes. Hints, nothing. Examples are what they need.

Are you quite sure that the North Carolina Legislature is composed wholly of Democrats and Republicans?

Says an old adage: "Honesty is the best policy." Sure. It insures an individual against exposure, trial, imprisonment and service in the chain-or the penitentiary.

The Pittsburg physician of the Thaw family was in court in New York the other day and says he is willing to be a witness for Harry K. Thaw. We infer that the doctor knows where Harry is weak.

Senator Bailey, of Texas, blames his troubles on William Randolph Hearst, and his opinion of the man who owns the "string of papers" is that he is "a moral leper," a politiacl degenerate and a physical coward." Bailey wants us to "consider the source."

Remarks the Richmond Times-Dispatch: "In blocking the passage of the forest reserves bill, Speaker Cannon is said to have snubbed 11 Governors at once. This must be well nigh the world's championship snub." The railroads ought to note the success of your Uncle Joe's block system.

The human frame is shrinking in size at the rate of a foot in every 200,000 years, the scientists are credited as avering. After reading Senator Rayner's speech on Thursday, President Roosevelt will conclude that the scientists made a mistake about the rate of his shrinkage.

Standard Oil stock was again hit hard on the New York Stock Exchange Thursday. The price tumbled 15 points, dropping to 505 from 520 on Wednesday. The bears are making the most of the "big stick" which President Roosevelt is still holding over the oil octopus.

Please, let's don't call the river and harbor appropriation "the pork barrel." It belittles the scientific projects for the improvement of our waterways and harbors in these days, when the increasing demand for transportation and the need of competition emphasizes the great importance of navigation to all parts of our country.

George W. Deffenbaugh, a wealthy citizen of Kokomo, Ind., after liberally providing for his family, left $50,000 to the church of his faith on condition that his spirit be elected a member of the board of trustees of the church and be permitted to attend its meetings. If the church takes the money and the Deffenbaugh shade should happen to drop into a meeting of the trustees the quorum would get cold feet.

HIGH SCHOOL HONORS

Past Month First of New Spring Term Has Been Most Successful on Record.

STANDARD OF SCHOLARSHIP

Recognized by University as an "Accredited Institution"—Class Distinctions For Two and Four Months—Freshman Leads.

The past month at the Wilmington High School, the first of the new year, and of the Spring term, was one of the most successful, both from the standpoint of attendance and scholarship that the institution has ever known. The average attendance for the past two months has been a little above 98 per cent. All told 235 pupils have been enrolled and good work is being done. Authorities of the University of North Carolina have just notified Mr. J. B. Huff, the principal, that the school has been made an "accredited school," that is, pupils from the Wilmington High School will not be required to stand examinations for entrance, placing it in the same rank with Oak Ridge, Bingham School at Asheville and a few others.

The honors at the High School for the past two months and in some of the classes for the past four months have been read out and show a fine scholarship. Miss Etta Sallings, of Freshman Class No. 1, for the second time, leads her class, and the school with an average of 99.4. Miss Madge Brand, Nicholas Post and Robert Strange, Jr., tie for the leadership of the Sophomore Class with 99.2. Miss Virginia Anderson leads the Junior Class with 98.72, and Miss Fannie Mitchell leads the Freshman No. 2 Class with 98.4, this for two months. The honor roll for the several classes is as follows:

Senior Class—First Honor: Miss Ila Rountree, Harold Whitlock and Harry Solomon. Second Honor: Miss Helen Solomon and Ferdinand Duls. For the term of four months.

Junior Class—First Honor: Misses Virginia Anderson, Duralde Borden, Agnes Chasten, Bessie Craig, Mary Croswell, Anna Grant, Bessie Ruth Lathrop, Alice Noble, Annie Reilly, Leila Screven, Lily Taylor, George Mitchell and Charles Parmele. Second Honor: Miss Louise Corinth, Allie Alderman and Henry Mercer. For the term of two months.

Sophomore—First Honor: Misses Madge Brand, Eugie Woodruff, Mary Riley, Irene King, Carrie Toomer, Lucile King, Lucile Riley, Maude Glascow, Hazel Dushan, Jeannie Woodruff, Annabel Campbell, Nick Post, Robert Strange, Jr., Canova Peterson, Paul Lupo, Williams Harris. Second Honor: Misses Lucile Cavenaugh, Lauriston Hardin, George Carmichael. For the term of two months.

Freshman No. 1.—First Honor: Misses Etta Sallings, Hazel Black, Rebecca Johnson, Ethel Solomon, Emily Williams, Gertrude Woodard, Lawrence Orr. Second Honor: Miss Gladys Woodard, William Lord.

Freshman No. 2—First Honor: Misses Ruth Duffy, Lotie Frink, Fannie Mitchell, Leona Turley, Roger Kingsbury and Louis Pleasants. Second Honor: Misses Emma Hazel King, Mae Willson and John Niestlie. For term of two months.

REVENUE CUTTER SENTENCE.

Colord Boy Gets Six Months in Jail for Desertion from Seminole.

James Capot, 20 years old, a ward room boy on the United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, was committed to the county jail yesterday to begin a sentence of six months for desertion from the Service. Capot was recently tried by a court martial of the officers of the cutter, composed of First Lieutenant Charles Satterlee, First Assistant Engineer, R. B. Adams and Third Lieutenant, E. D. Jones, with Second Assistant Engineer F. H. Young as prosecutor. The findings of the court martial were forwarded to the Treasury Department, as required under the new law, and the judgment was affirmed. Upon completion of his sentence, it is adjudged that Capot be dishonorably discharged from the service, forfeiting all pay. Capot is a Wilmington negro, and was enlisted here. He has done time on the county roads.

Catherine Kennedy Home.

The addition to the Catherine Kennedy Home, at Ninth and Princess streets, which has been in course of construction for the past two months, is about completed, and will be formally delivered to the Ladies' Benevolent Society, which organization owns the Home. The addition, which embraces eight large rooms, now gives the Home a total number of twenty rooms, as there are twelve in the main body of the house. The contract price for the addition was $2,436, which sum has been raised by the ladies during the past year or two.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Stone & Co.—Fish Scrap.
D. L. Gore Co.—Mullets and Roe.
Palace Market—Special Chicken Sale.

Business Locals.

Wanted—White Janitor.
East Wilmington—An Entertainment.

COMMITTEE HEARING

No Agreement on Street Car Bill—Representative and Newspaper Man in Fight—Insurance Men Against Trust Measure.

(By So. Bell Long Distance Phone.)

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 1.—The Public Service Corporation Committee of the House to-day gave a hearing to Mr. Skelding, of Wilmington, and other prominent street railway men of the State on the Morton bill to provide for the separation of the races on street cars. Mr. Morton was present in advocacy of his bill and failed to reach an agreement with the car people about the main provisions. The street railway men contended that the law should not apply to them in cases of abnormal congestion when a separation of the raecs would be impossible. The street car men also argued that it should be made a misdemeanor for a passenger to occupy a seat in a part of the car except that assigned to his race, placing all the responsibility of the separation on the patrons instead of the company. Mr. Morton refused to accept any compromise on his bill and the committee adjourned. Whether there will be another hearing or not your correspondent did not learn, but it is probable that some agreement will be reached and that a bill favorable to both sides will be adopted.

The joint committee on judiciary from the House and Senate to-day gave a hearing on the Aycock bill against pools and combinations and the bill of Holt to define trusts and punish them and their officers. There were present in protest to the bill several members of legitimate interests that it is claimed would be affected by the passage of the bill. These included representatives of insurance companies, the North Carolina Case Workers' Association and other organizations of manufacturers. W. S. Primrose, of Raleigh; Walker Taylor, of Wilmington, and F. N. Tate, of the Case Workers' Association, were the principal speakers before the committees. Col. Taylor spoke in special for the Southeastern Tariff Association, composed of the leading fire insurance companies doing business in the State, which, it is said, would be seriously affected by either or both of the bills. Speaker Justice spoke in favor of a bill which he said should not disturb the "good" trusts, but which would destroy the "bad." He said this might be accomplished by a more adroit definition of the term "trust." No action was taken, the hearing being continued

The Liquor Fight Resumed.

The Comimttee on Counties, Cities and Towns to-day gave a hearing to parties interested in Mr. Kitchen's bill placing the town of Scotland Neck under the Ward and Watts' acts so that they may vote on the question of whether or not they shall have saloons, dispensary or prohibition. The town is now prohibition by legislation at the last term of the Assembly. The committee decided to report unfavorably the bill and the town of Scotland Neck will continue under prohibition by the graces of the Legislature.

After the hearing Mr. Kitchen, champion of the bill, approached Edward E. Britton, city editor of the News and Observer, and sisted that he be reported correctly, intimating that such tratment was not accorded him in the morning paper represented by Mr. Britton. He stated to Britton that he had done an injustice in the report and asked that it be not repeated Britton took exception to the language of Kitchen and struck him. A fight ensued until members of the Legislature interfered and Britton left the State House. Later the two men met in the lobby of the Yarborough and Britton remarked that he had not had a square deal in the fight at the capitol. Mr. Kitchen informed him that he would get a square deal then if he desired and another fisticuffs ensued until the men were pulled apart by friends. Neither of them received serious injury. The affair is much talked of here to-night as being the one sensational affair of the session, both men being prominent.

The Wilmington Recorder's Court bill was finally passed upon by the Judiciary Committee of the Senate to-day and it will come up in the Senate from the calendar which is very overcrowded at present. The vote on the establishemnt of the court will be in May and the officers elected at the same time to begin their duties in June. The present jurisdiction of magistrates in the county is not impaired, the Recorder's Court having exclusive jurisdiction only over matters below the grade of a felony, which the magistrates do not have now. Appeals from the magistrates' courts as now will be to the Superior Courts except in certain cases wherein a saving will result to the county. It was stated that it was the purpose of the bill not to interfere in the least with the jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

Soical Affair at Grace Church.

Although the weather was far from inviting, a goodly number of people attended the very delightful entertainment at Grace Church last night under the auspices of the "Bright Jewels" and "Golden Links," missionary societies of the church. Music, songs and recitations were delightful features of the evening, while in the annex refreshments were served in the different classrooms where were represented all the countries in which the Methodist Episcopal Church has missionaries.

IN THE LEGISLATURE

Solicitors' Salary Bill and That Enlarging Powers of the Corporation Commission.

MANY LOCAL MEASURES

Dispensary People Can't Accept Gifts—Reformatory Bill Embodying Ideas of the Governor—New Street Car Bill.

(By So. Bell Long Distance Phone.)

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 1.—The Senate to-day passed the Webb bill on second reading to put solicitors on salary with an amendment by McLean, of Robeson, that the salary shall be $2,500 per year if the fees of the solicitor amount to that and all in excess to be paid into the State treasury for the benefit of education, no solicitor to receive more salary than the amount of his fees. There is also an amendment to the bill by Aycock, of Wayne, providing that the bill shall not go into effect until the year 1909. Still another amendment was by Redwine to require solicitors to visit scenes of wrecks and crimes and accidents. The bill upon objection, went over until to-morrow for third reading. The amendment of Mr. McLean is the same as the salary feature of the Justice bill enlarging the powers of the Attorney General, and making solicitors his assistants in certain cases. The latter has already pased the House.

Another matter of interest in the Senate was the introduction of a bill by Mr. Mason, carrying out the suggestions of Gov. Glenn in his message regarding the appointment of a commission to investigate the practicability of establishing a State reformatory which is expected to be about all the legislation that will be undertaken at this session on this point. Mr. Mason's bill provides for the report of the Commission so appointed in December 1909 and $1,000 is provided for the expenses of the members of the investigating board. Among bill's introduced to-day were:

Turner, to amend the revisal in regard to carrying freight.

Wilson, to authorize the town of Selma to issue bonds for a system of electric lights.

Graham, to allow the Governor to employ counsel to appear before the Inter-State Commerce Commission.

Blair, providing appropriation for schools for the blind.

Among the bills passed were: To make it larceny to remove automobiles or electric cars from any place where they are left by the owners or agents. To amend the revisal so that the iron safe clause in insurance policies shall not be operative in the settlement of losses. To extend the time for commuting and settling the State debt. Prohibiting dispensary managers, employes and laborers from receiving gifts of value from anyone interested directly or indirectly in the sale of products to dispensaries. The Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

In the House the Justice bill to enlarge the powers of the Corporation Commission, embodying all the powers it wants for the successful procedure against railroads and corporations, came up and was finally passed with an amendment by Manning to the effect that the penalties on railroads for failure to remove freight promptly shall be $25 for the first day and $1 per day for each succeeding day, instead of $25 for each day thereafter as originally included in the bill. Bills also passed to establish dispensary at Creedmore, Granville county. Dowd introduced out of order, a second bill to separate races on the street cars of the State, both city and suburban.

Other bills introduced were:

Douglass, a joint resolution relative to the Jamestown Exposition.

Jones, to establish dispensary at Bethel, Pitt county.

Morton, to amend the revisal in regard to tolls for ferries.

Galloway, of Greene, to make indictable certain violations of contract between landlord and tenant.

Among the bills passed were to incorporate the town of Garland, Sampson county; an amendment to the Drawry bill passed yesterday, providing against political contributions by insurance companies, the violation empowering the Insurance Commissioner to revoke the license.

In the House today a bill was introduced to allow Elizabeth City to issue bonds and levy a tax for street improvement; also to issue bonds and levy a tax to cover floating indebtedness. Among the bills that passed final reading were to incorporate the town of Clarendon, Columbus county; authorize town of Plymouth to issue bonds and levy special tax.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Buxton introduced a resolution of sympathy to Senator John W. Burton, of Onslow, who had been called away on account of the death of his sister, Mrs. Z. E. Murrell, of Wilmington. The resolution was adopted and the same ordered to be engrossed and sent to the member.

Creedmoor Dispensary.

The Creedmoor dispensary bill, being on the subject, of liqour, naturally stirred up some discussion because it was to permit the sale of liquor in any form. Mr. Royster explained the situation that Creedmoor was an incorporated town of 60 qualified voters that Oxford was the only place in Granville county where liquor could be sold. The Creedmoor people were much annoyed by liquor being shipped in from outside the State. The petition for the dispansary, both from Creedmoor and outside in the country nearby, largely outnumbered those against it. A committee amendment provided that the matter be left to a vote of the people.

The bill passed by a vote of 54 to 16

RECEIPTS OF COTTON

Record of Last Year Already Beaten—Figures of Last Season and Present Year Make Interesting Comparison—Naval Store Operation.

The monthly stock report, showing the receipts of cotton and naval stores at Wilmington for January and the crop year to date, was posted yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce. Cotton receipts showed up remarkably well for the month, being 30,263 bales, against only 11,637 bales during a corresponding period last year. The receipts since September 1st have been 281,955 bales, against 278,223 bales up to the same date in 1906. This is also an increase of considerable note in view of the fact that the crop in the country tributary to Wilmington was generally regarded short of the year before. The record of the staple ashore and afloat this year on the first of February is 5,135 bales ashore and 2,325 afloat, against 2,350 ashore and 9,714 afloat on the same date last season.

The exports of cotton for the crop year to date have been 1,308 bales domestic and 271,594 foreign, against 2,143 domestic, and 263,882 foreign up to same date last season. The total exports are 272,902 bales, against 266,025 last year.

The receipts of naval stores show gains for the month in spirits and tar, but a falling off in rosin and crude turpentine. The crop year receipts of all naval stores are short of last year.

The receipts for the month are as follows: Spirits, 1,192; rosin, 5,309; tar, 4,427; crude turpentine, 1,124; January last year: Spirits, 628; rosin, 8,305; tar, 3,704; crude turpentine, 1,841.

Crop year to date: Spirits, 15,781; rosin, 79,271; tar, 21,620; crude turpentine, 29,625. Crop year to date in 1906: Spirits, 16,720; rosin, 82,210; tar, 30,293; crude turpentine, 32,575.

DANDY DIXIE MINSTRELS.

Big Production at Academy of Music Matinee and Night.

With the same big company of clever colored performers who entertained New York audiences on the New York Theatre Roof Garden for three months last Summer, the Dandy Dixie Minstrels, headed by James Crosby and the famous Cotton Pickers' Band will be seen at the Academy to-day matinee and night.

Nothing quite so stupendous in minstrelsy has ever been attempted by a colored aggregation before. Besides James Crosby whose inimitable monologue has won for him the sobriquet of "The Tall Talker," The Cotton Pickers' Band is a specially organized coterie of solo musicians, who either on parade in concert before the performances, or on the stage, have won the proud distinction of being the only colored band to have played in New York for three successive months.

The performance begins with a magnificent first part, the scene being an elaborate setting in the Royal Palm Grotto. The olio features numbering ten big acts include, besides Crosby and the band the Oklahoma Octette, the Dixie College Rangers in a series of 'Varsity Class Songs; and old sweet songs of the South; the three Spiller Musical Bumpers in a Ragtime Comedy Musical Act; Mac Toney Trio, the dare-devil acrobats; Williams & Stevens, comic impersonators; Benny Jones, the Texas teaser; together with a buck dance contest which is open to all comers and for which a valuable prize is awarded. This concluding with a furiously funny farce entitled "A Fowl Deed" in which Charles Williams as "Judge Yazoo" has the leading part. The matinee will be for whites and the prices are 25c and 50c.

RAILROAD PENALTY SUITS.

Two Disposed of Yesterday—Motion to Consolidate Cases.

Two more of the big batch of suits against the Atlantic Coast Line fofr penalties, brought by the Hannah Box Shook Company, were tried before Justice George Harriss yesterday and judgement was given in favor of the plaintiffs. The amounts were $135 and $30, respectively. A case from each of the points of shipment has now been tried, and it is understood that Herbert McClammy, Esq., counsel for the box shook company, will make a motion upon the resumption of the hearing Tuesday, for a consolidation of the cases, inasmuch as it is stated that the same points are involved in all. The penalties are asked for delayed freight shipments from the mills of W. T. Sears & Company at three or four points in Eastern North Carolina, lumber being shipped from these to the box factory in this city.

Thomas W. Davis, Esq., appears as counsel for the railroad, and insists that each case shall be heard separately and on its merits. As something like $30,000 is involved in all the cases. The litigation is being fought with vigor on both sides. The hearing adjourned yesterday afternoon until Tuesday morning.

FOR CITY BOND ISSUE

Conference of Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance.

PROBABLY ON WEDNESDAY

Bills For Submission to Legislature Will Be Agreed Upon By Both Branches of City Government —The Election in May.

Arrangements are being made for a joint conference of the Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance Wednesday evening of the coming week to consider the bills to be presented to the present session of the General Assembly, authorizing the city to issue bonds for street improvement and for the municipal ownership of a water works and sewerage system, provided the people vote at the polls for these public utilities. The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen will be held Monday night, but its session will be so taken up with the regular business and as the Board of Audit and Finanec would have to pass on anything that would be done, anyway, it has been decided to have the joint conference.

City Attorney Bellamy, by instruction of both boards, has been at work on bills covering these projects for some time, and has had two conferences with the legislative committee of the Board of Aldermen with reference thereto. The draft of the bills as agreed upon in committee will be submitted to the conference for such changes and amendments that it may be deemed advisable to make and the measures will then be forwarded to Raleigh for passage by the Legislature. The idea seems to be to issue bonds in the sum of $200,000 for street improvement and should it be decided for the city to own its water and sewerage systems by a vote of the people at the polls, the General Assembly will be asked to authorize $400,000 in bonds for the purpose.

The street bill is generally regarded as most important and in it will be the machinery for carrying into execution a systematic plan for improvement. Whether a provision will be made in the bill for the abutting property owners to pay a part of the cost of the improvement or not, is still under advisement. Another question about which there is also some difference is that of whether the money should be expended under a street commission or the improvement should be undertaken through the regular channels as now. These matters will all be discussed at the conference and some agreement will be reached so that the bills will go to the Legislature without friction.

It is proposed to have these elections at the municipal election in May. At the same time the "anxious voters" will pass upon the question of whether or not they will have a recorder; if so, who that recorder shall be and also who shall be the clerk of the court in case the court is voted by the people.

ARRIVED IN THEIR YACHT.

Mr. Chelso D. Peruchi and Wife Here. To Organize Company.

Mr. Chelso D. Peruchi and wife (Miss Mabel Gypzene), owners of the Peruchi-Gypzene Company, which enjoys the unique distinction of being the only theatrical company en tour in their private yacht, arived in the city early last night, having been at Southport a day, awaiting fuel supply. Mr. Peruchi recently disbanded his company in Georgetown, S. C., for the season, and intended to accompany Mrs. Peruchi on a cruise down along the Florida coast, but when he reached the city yesterday to look after the fuel supply for his yacht, he received a very attractive offering to fill some theatrical dates, and closed a deal by which he will organize a new company and rehearse in this icty, the boat remaining here in the meantime. Mr. Peruchi has wired for members of the company, which he will put out for the remainder of the season and rehearsals will begin at an early date. The initial production of the reorganized company will be at the Academy of Music in this city, and the yacht will remain here as headquarters while the company is out.

The yacht is a very attractive craft, and tied up last night at the steamer Wilmington's wharf. Captain Pinner was coast pilot for the boat around, and will probably remain in charge while she is in port. Handsome living apartments have been fitted up aboard by Mr. Peruchi and wife and they have a most excellent home there. Both are popular in Wilmington, and their friends will enjoy having them here as residents.

Entertained Last Night.

A delightful social affair was given last evening by the young people of Brooklyn Baptist Church at the home of Mr. S. L. Smith, on North Fifth street. A number of pleasing features were introduced and all the guests had a delightful time.

10c Black Worsted for skirts, one half wool, 5c yard at Rehder's. Last day of Clearing Sale. **

10c Chambrays 7 1-2c to-day at Gaylord's. Visit his silk department to-day. **

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BRIDGE THE NORTH EAST.

Capt. R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, one of the leading citizens of Pender county, writes this to this week's Pender Chronicle:

"While there seems to be considerable opposition by some, to our County Commissioners' joining New Hanover in the North East brige proposition, yet we who advocate building the bridge, believe the Commissioners see that this bridge is a neecssity and will have the courage to appropriate Pender's share of money to this object."

There shouldn't be opposition in either Pender or New Hanover to the movement for the two ocunties to span the North East river with a substantial steel bridge. It might also be observed that the last place for the opposition to come from is Pender county. It would open up Pender county to her natural market here at Wilmington, and with easy, more rapid and more economical means of reaching market, the truck growers, farmers and business people of Pender will be immensely relieved of the waste of time and almost prohibitive expense of doing business with our people. There would be about as much reason in Wilmington's opposition to better communication with her markets in Baltimore and New York as there would be in any opposition in Pender to the proposition to bridge the North East.

However, the bridge proposition is a progressive undertaking that will mutually benefit both New Hanover and Pender counties. The trade relations between the two communities are inseparable. Wilmington largely depends upon Pender for her produce and the people of that county have among the 32,000 people in Wilimngton a ready market for all they raise. On the other hand, the people of Pender largely depend upon Wilmington for a great portion of their supplies. We must adimt that it would be folly to shut off Pender and New Hanover counties by a high wall with the idea that it would be to the advantage of either county to live upon itself alone, yet the North East river comes very nearly being the wall and it is a reflection on the progressiveness of the people of the two counties that they have not long since bridged the barrier between them.

Communities build railroads and open up waterways to get in communication with other communities for trade purposes, and we are surprised that Pender has not long since clamored for the outlet which one or more bridges over the North East would give to one of the most fertile counties in the State. It is also hard to conceive why Wilmington has been asleep on this proposition so many years.

The simple fact of the business is that if Pender and New Hanover had bridges every five miles apart on the North East and good roads in all directions to reach them, we would witness such a marvelous developemnt of the respective rescurces of the two communities, one equally dependent upon the other, that we would make up our minds that the long neglect of better communication with each other is little short of stupidity.

Wilmington is Pender's customer and Pender is Wilmington's customer. The easiest way for the people of both counties to swap their dollars is the cheapest way. Bridges will reduce the expense of our mutual traffic and that is all there is to it. Pender might get more out of it in the enhancement of her farm values, and the general development that is sure to result, but that will alsc be to the advantage of Wilmington, as it is plain to see. The whole situation in a nutshell is that our interests are so interwoven and inseparably mutual that we cannot afford to throw any obstacles in the way of any movement that will get us closer together.

Bridge the North East by all means.

THE CORPORATION LAWYER.

The present is a good time to reproduce from the Washington Post a dispassionate, timely and well uttered editorial on the above subject. Fair minded people will at once see the point in what the Post gives us, and we think it is a good time to let The Star's readers get the benefit of it. Our esteemed Washington contemporary says:

"There is a written pure-food law and it seems that there is also an unwritten pure-politics law. We judge by the immense number of public men who bear the label, "He was never a corporation lawyer," which is come to be evidence of good character in the forum, even though it be proof positive of mediocrity in the courthouse. With just enough exceptions to establish the rule, the lawyer who is not the attorney of a corporation owes the circumstance to the fact that the corporation is already well provided with legal counsel or to his limited capacity in his profession.

"A corporation is the child of the law and entitled to the protection of the law. Its rights in the courts are as sacred as the rights of an individual litigant in a suit of ejectment—no more and no less. Samuel J. Tilden was a corporation lawyer, perhaps the greatest the American bar has produced. They called him a railroad wrecker, because, like a skillful surgeon, he cut the cancer of bankruptcy out of supine railroads and made them healthy and powerful agents of commerce; but Mr. Tilden never taught a corporation the rascality of evading or violating the law, and that made him a public benefactor.

"This wave of indiscriminate indignation that is sweeping over the country against corporations and corporation lawyers is due to the misconduct of corporations in compliance with legal advice. If every corporation employed legal counsel solely to be advised how to conform to the law all this howl about corporate greed would be tranquillized so far as it comes from people capable of indulging processes of reason.

"Recent deevlopments, such as the insurance investigation, the revelations as to the beef trust, as to Standard Oil methods, as to railroad rebates and things of like color, have enraged the people until there is a deep-seated conviction that corporation and rascal are synonymous terms. But there are harmless corporations, many of them public benefactors, and they are advised by able, honest, and patriotic lawyers. It is unfortunate that the people do not discriminate.

"There is scarce a virus in our politics that corporate dishonesty did not plant there, and there it will remain, threatening to corrupt the blood of the entire body politic, if it be not expelled by the corporations that created it, and the one way to chase it out of the system is to practice honesty and obey the law."

We have had so much of what the Post speaks about, that we are about to 'lose our shirts,' as the slang expression goes. We are in the nightmare condition about now, and it is time for us to get our reasoning faculties collected to meet the problems which we have to settle for the benefit of all concerned. Back to reason!

CURRENT COMMENT.

—A Charleston contemporary declares that "United States Senators ought not to be chosen by accident." Mr. Guggenheim, for his part, can doubtless show the receipts.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—Congressman Livingston has offered the New York Cotton Exchange $500 to bring a libel suit against him. Heretofore Uncle Lon has managed to get all of his advertising free.—Augusta Chronicle.

—Because of the shortage in the American peanut crop it is proposed to import that national necessity of circus life from foreign shores. Talk about carrying coals to Newcastle when goobers are carried to Virginia.—New York Tribune.

—The latest social equality news of a racial nature is a breach of promise suit recently instituted by a negro woman against a Howard University professor. Social equality of the races generally follows with higher education in the New England States.—Duplin (N. C.) Journal.

—In view of the disposition now being shown in the Legislature to aimlessly harass the railroads we would have it remembered that the Democratic State platform declared that "freight and passenger rates were too high." Freight rates were rightly put first. The Legislature will not have done its duty if it fails to take action looking to the relief of North Carolina shippers from the gross discrimination now practiced against them.—Charlotte Observer.

—The Roman Catholic Church has the largest number of communicants of any religious body in the United States, being over eleven millions. Next comes the Methodist (17 bodies) with 6,551,811 communicants; then the Baptists with 5,140,770; the Lutherans with 1,957,433; the Presbyterians with 1,771,877; the Disciples of Christ with 1,264,758, and the rest with less than a million each. The Catholics gained more than double the increase of any other faith, the Methodist and Lutherans following with about 116,000 each. The Baptist is the only other denomination that gained anything like 100,000, the rest falling far below that figure. The Friends, the River Brethren and the Theosophists report losses. This information is given in the Christian Advocate, of New York, by Dr. H. K. Carroll, who furnishes that paper an annual statement of Church statistics. According to his figures the Catholics gained last year was 259,548. Much of this increase is due to immigration, but the natural growth of the Roman Catholic Church is perhaps greater than that of any other denomination. The growth of the membership of the church is something remarkable.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—Daschund (proudly)—My master has a strong pull. Grayhound (scornfully)—Well, you look it.—Baltimore American.

—Knicker—Is Bridget going? Mrs. Knicker—Yes, but I don't know whether to give her a Wallace or a Shonts reference.—New York Sun.

—Biggs—I wonder if 1907 will produce as many scandals as the current year? Diggs—More, I imagine. Pittsburg is to be enlarged.—Chicago News.

—Mr. Wallace is thought to be studying the mysterious process by which Mr. Shonts Lutherburbanked a lemon into a rose.—Washington Herald.

—"I am thinking seriously of marrying" said Miss Strongmind, "and with your permission I'll speak to your father to-morrow." "But" protested young Lightware, "pap is already married."—Chicago News.

—"She blushed when I perused her countenance." "What of that? It is no more than natural when a woman sees her countenance is perused for her face to get red."—Baltimore American.

—In a village in New Jersey the school-mistress saw one of the little boys crying. She called him to her and inquired the reason. "Some of the big boys made me kiss a little girl out in the school yard," was the reply. "Why that was outrageous! Why did you not come to me?" "I—I—didn't know that you would let me kiss you," he said—Chicago Daily News.

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Fads and Philanthropy

By INA WRIGHT HANSON

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Honor Wilding, looking steadily out a window of the city library, was seeing visions, all of which concerned a yellow haired young man. Each vision was rose color at the beginning and somber gray at the ending. That she herself was reasonable for the tinting did not alter the fact that Honor's eyes were wistful and her lips very near to trembling. She turned from the window to the readers, wondering aimlessly if any of them had had ideals and were sorry.

Finally her eyes traveled to the farther corner, where were the newspaper files. There stood a man, his back to her. He was very shabby, but he had yellow hair, and he was about the height. Just then he turned a little and began tightening his belt. Honor heard the noon bells ringing. She had heard that if one were very, very hungry it helped a little to gird one's waist very tightly. Poor fellow! Then he turned entirely around and took up his ragged hat. Honor dropped her magazine, her gloves, her purse, her handkerchief and her parasol and sprang toward him.

"Why, Mervin Fairbanks, how glad I am to see you!"

"Well, well, how my fame as a prophet soars! I said that you should not see me again till you would be glad of the sight. And how goes the gay world with you, Miss Honor Wilding?"

Honor expected him to shrink from her, ashamed of his apparent poverty, but she remembered he usually had done the unexpected. He picked up her belongings, and they went out. Standing in the shadow of the graystone building, she lifted hesitating eyes to his.

"Will you come home with me, Mervin? I want so much to know of your wanderings these past two years."

She was surprised again at his quick consent. She remembered Mervin Fair-

"WHY, MERVIN FAIRBANKS, HOW GLAD I AM TO SEE YOU!"

banks as furiously proud of his pedigree, his good name and his appearance. What could have happened to reduce him to poverty and to change his nature?

"You expect to hear of Paris and London and maybe Egypt and India?" he asked after luncheon was over. To Honor's third surprise he had eaten very little. "I haven't been outside San Francisco until yesterday."

Honor regarded him with reproach. "You never let me hear from you," she said.

"What was the use? You said it was all off between us. I couldn't be as philanthropic as you desired, and I didn't like to pretend that I might grow to it, because I knew I shouldn't. How are your proteges?"

Honor colored. "I don't know."

Mervin smiled at her quizzically.

"Did Bacagalupi rob your house, or Moriarity take to the black bottle again?"

"Not exactly, but what I did for them didn't seem to last. They were constantly expecting more. I simply got tired of it all and stopped. Then I realized that it was only a fad anyway, like my cat farm and other things. I woke up one day to the realization that Honor Wilding was deceiving herself; that she was only egotistical when she thought she was charitable. I haven't had any fads since. I have been humble and miserable," she added under her breath.

He smiled tenderly at her. "You were only trying your wings, little girl."

She looked at him gratefully. "But, Mervin, tell me of yourself, your—your—the past two years." She wanted to ask him why he came to be reduced to so dismal an appearance, but she hesitated."

"Let me see," he mused. "I asked you to marry me when you were eighteen. That was five years ago, wasn't it?"

"Yes," acknowledged Honor, her heart beating furiously.

"And you refused because you were anticipating a career. It was to be woman's rights, I believe."

Honor, her eyes downcast, was twisting her bracelet nervously.

"Then when you forgot your speeches and had several unpleasant encounters with unpleasant people you decided that you were mistaken in your calling."

"Yes," said Honor again.

"When you were twenty-one I asked you to marry me. Then it was the cat farm. I think possibly you might have let me be a partner that time, only I objected to the cats. I didn't mind one feline pet, but I believe I used some emphatic language in regard to the farm."

"You certainly did," answered Honor, smiling faintly.

"The third and last time was two years ago, when the farm had lost its glory and its cats. You were Honor Wilding, philanthropist, then. You told me if I would join forces and fortunes with you in your life's work that you would be pleased 'to walk mit me,' as your friend, the scrublady, said. I couldn't see it that way, and you remarked that I loved myself better than you, and so we parted."

"I was unjust," murmured Honor. "I have been sorry many times."

"I resolved to go away and forget you. I did the one, but not the other. I want you this minute more than I ever desired you in my life, and my eyes tell me that you are not indifferent. Honor, my little girl, will you wait for me till I can come to you as a man ought"—

But she was leaning forward eagerly, her eyes suffused with tears, her sweet lips trembling.

"Why must you go away?" she pleaded. "Don't let a wretched matter of money part us now. We have lost five years, Mervin, and I have dollars a-plenty for both. Don't let your pride stand between us now, Mervin."

For a moment he looked at her curiously; then he smiled, albeit his eyes were gravely tender, and he put his arms around her.

"Dear," he said fervently, "I'm richer than you are twice over. I've kept on making money these two years, just so I shouldn't think so hard. I was going to ask you to wait till I went to the hotel and arrayed myself in decent clothes before we plighted out troth. I didn't want you to feel as if a beggar were making love to you. I spoke of waiting, for though the tailor said he would have them there by noon I knew by sad experience that there might be a delay."

"But, Mervin, your clothes—I don't understand," she gasped when she had recovered her breath.

"Well, you see," he began hesitatingly and shamefacedly, "Jack Bronson was on my train yesterday. He is really trying to reform, and he wanted a certain position, but thought he was too shabby to make any showing. The man he wanted to meet was to be at the station, so there wasn't anything to do but go to the dressing room and change clothes with him. Fortunately these, though ragged, are quite clean. I thought I would wear these a day or two, just to imagine what the fellows felt like when they were down on their luck. When you came to me I was so hungry to see you that I simply had to come, rags and all. May I go now, Honor?"

"You are Mervin Fairbanks, philanthropist, and didn't know it!" laughed Honor gleefully. "No, don't go just yet."

WARM WIRELETS.

Five events were run off yesterday at Palm Beach by the motorboats entered for the third annual Lake Worth regatta. The five-mile event for boats with a speed of 18 miles an hour and under was won by the Planet, a Florida boat in 34 minutes and 54 seconds. The second event, a five-mile ract for boats with a speed of 18 miles an hour and above, was won by Schroeder's Dixie. Time 11 minutes and 11 seconds.

Lady Dorothy Cuthbert met with a tragic death at the hands of her husband during a pheasant shoot at Beaufront Castle, Northumberland, England, yesterday. The victim was only two yards distant from her husband, Capt. James Harold Cuthbert, when his gun was accidentally discharged. The charge entered her head and she fell dead on the spot. Lady Dorothy was a daughter of the present Earl of Stratford, who succeeded to the title on the death of the fourth Earl of Stratford, who married Mrs. Samuel Colgate, of New York.

At a meeting of the Memphis Cotton Exchange yesterday resolutions were adopted petitioning the inter-State Commerce Commission to arrange a hearing to be held in Memphis at an early date to review the freight transportation situation. In a message sent to the Secretary of the Commission President Crump of the Echange declared that because of the failure of the railroads to furnish sufficient equipment, many thousand bales of cotton, are awaiting ishpment and that the cotton business at Memphis is practically at a standstill. Immediate relief is asked for.

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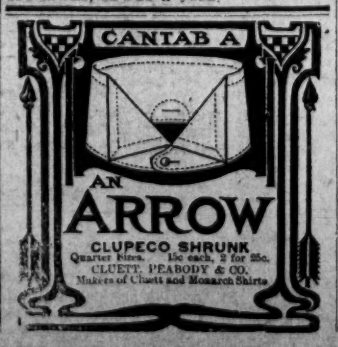

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$1,274,727 32	Capital stock	$ 25,000 00
Bonds	3,000 00	Undivided profits, less taxes and expenses paid	138,500 09
Furniture and fixtures	1 00	Demand certificates of deposits	108,603 30
Real estate	15,000 00	Deposits subject to check	1,262,331 46
Demand loans	122,738 24		1,363,934 76
Due from banks	105,662 24		
Cash items	1,637 80		
Silver coin, including all minor currency	528 25		
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	4,145 00		
Total	$1,527,434 85	Total	$1,527,434 85

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Do you enjoy a high ball now and then? If you do, remember the very next time you drink one to ask for Belle of Virginia Rye Whiskey. It makes a smooth, delightful drink; one which you will enjoy and one which will do you good. It's blended from pure, old whiskies—a rare, delicate blend that will appeal to the most discriminating taste. Don't forget to try it—those whom it pleases once it will please always.

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x 7.00 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.15 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

Cars leaving Wilmington at 7 a. m., 8.30 A. m., 8.00 p. m. and 9.30 p m. will not run beyond Wrightsville unless there are passengers for the Beach.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Cars every half hour from 1.00 to 5.00 p m in addition to the above schedule.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	9.00 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.23 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1.49 p m	11.15 p m
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk	6.05 p m	
Ar Wilson	1.07 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.15 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10.20 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa		7.10 pm	10.02 am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12.30 am	1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9.10 am	Ar 3.13 pm
Lv Fayetteville	12.35 pm	Ar 4.55 pm
Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

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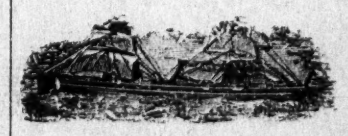

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Saturday, February 2.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, Feb. 2, 1907.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Friday, February 1.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 41 degrees; at 8 P. M., 49 degrees; maximum, 51 degrees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 46 degrees.

Rainfall for the day .06; rainfall since the first of the month to date .06 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River at Fayetteville 8 A. M., Friday, 3.8 feet.

Forecast.

For North Carolina—Rain and warmer Saturday; Sunday, fair, colder in extreme west portion; fresh southwest winds.

Port Almanac—February 2.

Sun Rises ..... 7:01 A. M.
Sun Sets ..... 5:28 P. M.
Day's length 10 hours and 19 minutes.
High water at Southport 10:05 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 12:35 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. E. Farrar, of Charlotte, was among yesterday's arrivals in the city.

—Miss Belle Huggins, of Nichols, S. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. W. H. Pope, general counsel for the Atlantic Coast Line at Fayetteville, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. L. W. McKinnon, of Maxton, was among yesterday's arrivals in the city, stopping at The Orton.

—Mr. D. B. Johnson, of Tomahawk, N. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Hon. Joseph A. Brown, of Chadbourn, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Judge H. G. Connor, of the United States Supreme Court, was among yesterday's arrivals in the city. He is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. George H. Hutaff went up to Fayetteville yesterday on business connected with Coca-Cola Bottling Works.

—Mr. H. M. Cammack, representing the Oliver Typewriter Company, of Chicago, is in the city interesting business men and others in the merits of that justly famous machine. Mr. Cammack will have charge of the Oliver interests in North Carolina in the future, making Wilmington and Raleigh his headquarters.

D'ARCY OF THE GUARD.

Rehearsals Progressing Very Satisfactorily—Tickets on Sale.

Rehearsals for "D'Arcy of the Guard" which will be presented at the Academy of Music next Saturday night for the benefit of the Wilmington Light Infantry under the direction of Mr. Edouard D'Oize, who has had much experience in amateur theatricals, are progressing very satisfactorily and indications point to a magnificent success of the undertaking. The cast of characters and other interesting information concerning the play will be given out within the next few days.

Tickets for the production are on sale at Gerken's, DeRosset's and Yates' at one dollar each. Those who purchase tickets in advance will be allowed to reserve them one day in advance at the box sheet office. This is a great inducement and one which the public will doubtless not be slow in accepting.

INCREASING COAL RATES.

Pennsylvania and Other Roads Make Advance of 10 Per Cent.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—The North American to-morrow will say:

Headed by the Pennsylvania Railroad, trunk line railroads will make a general increase in rates on bituminous coal shipments of 10 per cent. on April 1. President McCrea, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is credited with having taken the matter up with President Baer, of the Reading and Jersey Central Railroads, and President Johnson, of the Norfolk & Western Railroad. The coal companies in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania, have been given to understand that there will be no adherence to the present rates after April 1. The rate to tidewater will, it is said, be increased about 15 per cent. Increased cost of opearting is given as the reason for advance in rates."

Telephone Extension.

The Southport Herald of this week says: "Mr. James S. Craig, who is in charge of the construction of the new telephone line from Little River to Southport, was in the city for a few days the past week, and we learned from him that actual construction of the new long distance telephone line had been commenced. The contracts for poles have been given out, and they are now being delivered along the proposed route of the line. The other material necessary for the construction of the line has been purchased and is expected to arrive within a few days when a force of hands will be immediately put to work to complete the job in short order."

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LOCAL DOTS.

During the past month the police made 169 arrests, of which number 73 were white defendants and 96 colored.

—Tea will be served on the grounds of the Cape Fear Golf Club this afternoon by a member of the Club.

—Mr. J. H. Saunders, a former engineer of Greenville, N. C., has taken the position of round house foreman with the Atlantic Coast Line.

—The schooner Bayard Hopkins, Capt. Burton, having completed discharging cargo here, was cleared yesterday by C. D. Maffitt, light for Georgetown, S. C.

—The only case of more than passing interest in the police court yesterday was that of William Murphy, colored, charged with an affray. He was taxed $10 and costs.

—Past National Councilor W. E. Faison, of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, spent yesterday in the city and last night addressed an enthusiastic gathering of Juniors with George Washington Council.

—Says the Clarkton Express: "Whether Wilmington gets a union depot or not, the Seaboard should be made to put something in the place of that old buzzard roost they have there."

—The certificate of incorporation for the J. W. Fleet Co., recently chartered by the Secretary of State, was received yesterday and entered for record at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court.

—An entertainment will be given in the school house at East Wilmington Monday night, February 4, at 8 o'clock. There will be a programme of pleasing features and all are invited. The admission will be ten and 20 cents.

—Judge Bornemann was busy receiving congratulations of his friends on the amendment of the Recorder's Court bill yesterday, but he found time to dispose of several trifling cases. One of them was Ben Drew, colored, charged with slapping a colored boy. Ben paid the costs.

—During the past month the Register of Deeds issued license to 20 white and 20 colored couples. Two colored applications came in after the report had been made up and will be included in next month's statement so that the number of colored licenses was really larger for the new year than for the whites.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Passengers on the southbound Atlantic Coast Line railroad are struck with the splendid new cotton mill of the Victory Manufacturing Company, its exterior being about completed, and giving an idea of its immense capacity for work, for which the machinery ordered will be placed as soon as it can be sent. The situation is ideal."

—Deeds filed for record yesterday were: M. S. Willard and wife to the Wilmington Suburban Co., for $1,000 and other considerations, property in southern part of the city. Isham Thompson to William James and Henry Carter for $135, property at southeast corner of Fifth and Marstellar streets, 33x160 feet in size. M. S. Willard and wife to Willie F. and R. H. Brady, for $1,000, property on north side of Ann, 95 feet east of Second street, 42x177 feet in size, more or less.

Ordination Service Sunday Morning.

Bishop Strange will visit the Chapel of the Good Shepherd Sunday morning at 11 o'clock for the purpose of ordaining to the deaconate, Mr. A. C. D. Noe. Mr. Noe has been attending the Theological Department of the University of the South at Sewanee and has just passed his canonical examination under Dr. Carmichael and Rev. A. W. Seabreaze, the examining chaplains of the Diocese. The service promises to be a most interesting one, and the public is most cordially invited. Dr. Carmichael will present the candidate and the sermon will be preached by his brother, Rev. T. P. Noe, rector of the Chapel. Mr. Noe comes from Beaufort, N. C., and his addition to the clergy of the East Carolina Diocese will be a valuable one.

Efforts of Hotel Committee.

The committee recently appointed at the Chamber of Commerce meeting to further the movement for a new hotel in Wilmington has met and organized for the canvass of the city, which will begin Tuesday morning, following another meeting of the committee Monday night. The members of the committee feel much encouraged at the way in which the public generally has received the proposition and do not think now that there will be any doubt that the required stock can be raised. The idea is for the large, as well as small, business men to take stock, as all will benefit by the location of such an enterprise here. The committee or any member thereof would be glad to give any information desired.

Dr. Strange the Speaker.

The young men of the city will be pleased to know that on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock Rt. Rev. Bishop Strange will address a mass meeting of men at the Y. M. C. A. There is no finer speaker in the city than Dr. Strange and this is a splendid opportunity to hear him when he will speak straight to men upon a very important subject. Every man in the city should accept the Association's invitation to attend and hear this speaker. The music will be by the St. James Church choir.

Stock of Donnelly & King Moved.

The bankrupt stock of fine millinery, consisting of hats, wings, feathers and flowers, has been moved to the millinery department of the C. W. Polvogt Company, where they still offer them to their customers for one-half regular price. Several high grade pattern hats are offered for $5, $4 and $3 worth $12, $18 and $20. Large assortment of fancy wings are offered very low. Among the assortment will be found some good things in Summer Millinery. The Polvogt Company announce that no charge will be made for trimming for millinery bought during the next month. **

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FUNERAL OF MRS. MURRELL.

Services From Brooklyn Baptist Church—Interment in Oakdale.

Impressive funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. A. McKaughan, the pastor, assisted by Rev. A. D. McClure, from Brooklyn Baptist Church, over the remains of the late Mrs. Alice Burton Murrell, wife of Mr. Z. E. Murrell, of this city, who passed away Wednesday evening. A large number of friends were present to pay a last sad tribute of love and respect and a large number of very pretty floral designs were laid upon the casket and on the grave in beautiful Oakdale cemetery, where the interment took place. The funeral hymns were sung by a special choir, composed of Mrs. F. A. Muse, Mr. Alex. S. Holden and Mr. Charles Dushan.

The active pall-bearers were three brothers of Mrs. Murrell and two others, with a friend of Mr. Murrell, a third brother of the latter having found it impossible to come, as had been expected. The pall-bearers were as follows: Honorary, Messrs. Jesse Wilder, J. H. Strauss, John Wilkinson, Benj. Murphy, F. P. LeGwin, and J. W. Scarboro; active, Messrs. John W., N. A. and R. L. Burton, G. M. Murrell, John Murrell and B. C. Moore. Mr. John W. Burton is a member of the General Assembly of the State, and was at Raleigh attending the sessions of that body when notified of his sister's death. Mr. and Mrs. Stratton Burton, the aged parents of Mrs. Murrell, were also here to attend the funeral.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Andrews' Presbyterian church, Rev. Alex D. McClure, D. D., pastor; Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 3:30 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by the chaplain. Seamen and rivermen especially invited. All are welcome.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets; Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor; services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 4 P. M. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. All welcome.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner Fourth and Brunswick streets, Rev. J. A. McKaughan, pastor; preaching by the pastor Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The hand of fellowship will be given to new members and roll of members will be called; also an important matter of business will come before the church. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Prayer service Wednesday at 8 P. M. B. Y. P. U. Thursday at 8 P. M. The public invited.

Dickinson Street Completed.

The fill on Dickinson street, a contract for which was recently let by the city to Capt. E. G. Parmele, has been completed and the work is now ready forf acceptance by the engineer. The fill is 20 feet wide for a distance of 1,365 feet. The contract price for the work was $1,000.

DEMOCRATS RUBBING IT IN.

Republicans Forced to Refuse to Commend President Roosevelt.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Feb. 1.—The sub-committee of the Military Affairs Committee of the House, by a strict party vote, today laid on the table the resolution of Representative Simms, of Tennessee, commending the President for his action in discharging the colored soldiers engaged in "shooting up" the town of Brownsville, Tex. The motion to lay on the table was made by a Republican and carried by the Republicans, the Democrats voting against the motion. Mr. Simms will now bring the resolution before the House on a motion to discharge the military committee from further consideration, and have the resolution considered by the House, providing the Speaker will recognize him for that purpose.

Messrs. Hay, of Virginia, and Claxton, of Texas, the only two Democrats of the sub-committee, voted against tabling the resolution. The other four members of the sub-committee, Republicans, who voted to table the measures, were Messrs. Hull, of Iowa; Capon, of Rhode Island; Young, of Michigan, and Bradley, of New York.

RIVER AND HARBOR BILL.

Discussed Again in Congress Yesterday—Mississippi Project.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Appropriation for rivers and harbors continued to occupy the attention of the House today. In the main the speeches dealt with the proposed canal from Chicago to St. Louis, and the deepening of the Mississippi river from St. Louis to the Gulf to 14 feet. Representative Clark, of Missouri, delivered a characteristic speech in behalf of the Mississippi project.

The members who discussed the bill were: Representative Rodenberg, Illinois; Rayner, Illinois; Crumpacker, Indiana; Madden, Illinois; Shackleford, of Missouri; Grass, Illinois; Candler, Mississippi; Mahon, Pennsylvania, and Garrell, of Tennessee.

Bills were passed fixing the boundaries of lands adjoining the Coeur D'Alene Indian Reservation in Idaho; permitting persons owning lands in the Kiowa, Commanche and Apache Indian reservations in Oklahoma Territory to commute them for townsite purposes, and creating two additional land districts in Alaska, located at Nome and Fairbanks.

Rev. Dr. W. E. Evans, rector of the Monumental Episcopal Church, Richmond, Va., has accepted a call to the Church of the Advent, Birmingham, Ala.

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WARM WIRELETS

At Caracas, Venezuela, on Sunday night General Luis Matay Illas, the governor of Caracas, was assassinated by a crowd of intoxicated partisans of Vincente Gomez, the first vice president of the republic.

The men who murdered General Luis Matay Illas, the governor of Caracas, Venezuela, in a cafe in Caracas, last Monday night were captured in the mountain without bloodshed and are now in prison.

Col. William P. Fife, a well known operator in St. Louis, in Western oil and mining stocks, and known throughout the South as "The Drummer Evangelist," was buried from the Presbyterian Church in Fayetteville, N. C. yesterday.

Gen. Elliott, commandant of the marine corps, was at the Navy Department yesterday and arranged for the transportation of 200 marines to Cuba, by the first available transport sailing for Newport News, to take the places of an equal number of short-term marines who are to be brought home.

Henry Magruder, son of the late Confederate General John Bankhead Magruder (who died in Houston, Tex. in 1877) died yesterday in Rome, Italy. Mr. Magruder had been traveling in Italy with his niece, Miss Buckler, who nursed him during the illness which ended in his death.

At Kansas City, Tex., yesterday Ramon Campie, a Mexican, was hanged for the murder of two sisters named McHaney, in March of last year. One of the women had refused to marry him and this so enraged the man that he killed both and tried to kill their brothers, as they were driving along the road in a buggy.

Eight building in the center of the business district of Harrisburg, Pa., were either destroyed or badly damaged by fire early yesterday morning, involving a loss of $250,000. The Grand Opera House block, at Third and Walnut Streets, in which there were five stories, was destroyed and nothing is standing but the walls.

An authoritative statement, embodying what the family desires to say on the case of the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, was given out last night. It is as follows: "The differences between the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough have been settled privately. The children will arrive at Sunderland House today, and the Duchess and her children will proceed to the continent early next week."

A report last night from the Stuart mine, near Charleston, W. Va., where an explosion killed four score miners, says that 64 bodies have been removed and that at least 18 more are known to be in the wrecked mine. Allegations are made that the men in the mine had to quit work on account of the condition and that they were at the opening of the shaft trying to get out when the explosion occurred.

Col. J. C. Edmonds, superintendent of public schools of Bastrop, Tex., was shot and killed in front of the postoffice there yesterday. There is great excitement and a prominent citizen of Bastrop is suspected of having committed the murder. R. A. Brocks, attorney and assistant postmaster, was arrested, charged with the killing. No announcement as to the cause was made.

Life-boats from Hartlepool, England, yesterday rescued 24 of the crew of the British steamer Clavering, ashore at the mouth of the river Tees, including Captain Scott. The bodies of nine lascars who died of exposure during the night were thrown overboard, making the total number of deaths 29. The vessel is breaking up. The Clavering, bound for Japan, was blown ashore in a heavy gale at the mouth of the Tees during the night of January 30.

Edward P. Hipple, a brother of the late Frank K. Hipple, who ended his life last summer after wrecking the Real Estate Trust Company, of Philadelphia, of which he was the president, committed suicide at his home in Philadelphia with a revolver yesterday. One of Mr. Hipple's sons said his father worried a great deal over Frank Hipple's part in the trust company failure, but he did not think his father had anything to do with the crash.

Grover Cleveland was Thursday elected chairman of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents, composed of the executives of the principal life insurance companies of this country. The object of the organization is to co-operate for all kinds of reform which, the members claim, will increase dividends to policy-holders. Mr. Cleveland will also act as chieff counsel for the Association. In addition to these duties, Mr. Cleveland will act as referee in cases of dispute between the companies. For these services he will receive $25,000 a year.

HESTER'S COTTON STATEMENT.

Visible Supply to Date is 5,501,812 Bales.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Feb. 1.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, issued today, shows the total visible to be 5,501,812 bales, against 5,502,604 bales last week and 5,425,270 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 4,356,812, against 4,360,064 last week, and 3,895,270 last year.

There is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe, 2,983,000 bales, against 2,766,000 last year, in Egypt, 237,000, against 199,000 last year; in India, 505,000, against 846,000; and in the United States, 1,777,000 against 1,614,000 last year.

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A Mercenary Affair

By EDITH M. DOANE

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When Mrs. Palmer announced the engagement of her daughter Helen to James Corey, every one wondered why on earth Helen had not chosen a younger man.

In almost in the same breath it leaked out that Mr. Palmer, who was always trading on tips and going broke in the market, had plunged once too often—had indeed been face to face with bankruptcy until James Corey came to his rescue.

Then the world, as represented by society in Glenwood Park—proffered congratulations and smiled discreetly. Of course if the Palmers accepted James Corey's money, they must accept its giver too.

The Park was apt to assemble informally at the Country club for 5 o'clock tea. There was something pleasantly cozy in gathering around the low china laden table on the wide clubhouse porch. But now chocolate cooled, forgotton, tea boiled quietly away, while their possessors eagerly discussed this marriage of convenience in their midst.

"The poor girl is deliberately sacrificing herself," declared Mrs. Lawrence, tragically waving a tea cake.

"And she is so pretty," put in little Mrs. Brooks irrelevantly.

"Her youth has been bartered for gold," said Mrs. Ellis, who had a fondness for light fiction.

"And he is so much older."

"Money isn't everything."

"Perhaps even yet she may be saved from it," faltered little Mrs. Brooks hopefully.

"Why save her?" briskly interrupted Mrs. Wylie, joining the group and taking the cup of fragrant tea offered her. "Mr. Corey is honorable, charitable, rich—a good man in every respect. She

"WHAT'S THIS YOU'VE DONE?" HE DEMANDED VEHEMENTLY.

ought to be proud of him. I'm sure I can't imagine what more she could want."

Five pairs of eyes confronted Mrs. Wylie in shocked surprise.

"Well, I'm sure I hope she takes your view of it," said Mrs Lawrence gloomily.

"If he only were younger. He's as old as—as Father Abraham."

"Oh, if Mr. Palmer had not been in such sore straits!"

"Still, it is lovely to be able to cling to one's faith in human nature as you do."

"I'm clinging to nothing," said Mrs. Wylie stubbornly; "but, for my part, I think she's a very lucky girl."

"Oh, of course everybody respects him."

"And he is a very rich man."

"But it is so evident that she did it to save her father."

"Besides, there is her cousin, Tom Breuster," said Mrs. Brooks softly.

Tom Breuster was an ordinary sort of a fellow—fairly good looking, fairly clever—in fact, he did not amount to much one way or the other, but he happened to imagine himself very much in love with Helen and when her engagement was announced burst in on his aunt in a storm of indignation.

"What's this you've done?" he demanded vehemently. "Why was I kept in ignorance all this time?"

"I don't understand you," returned Mrs. Palmer coldly.

"Don't you?" he went on ruthlessly. "Then I'll explain. You have engaged Helen to a man for whom she has not the smallest spark of affection. To save yourselves—for the sake of mere money, mere worldly position—you and her father have consented to sacrifice that poor girl, body and soul."

"You must be insane to talk to me like this," returned his aunt icily. "There is no reason why Helen should not marry Mr. Corey or any one else she chooses."

"Let us confine ourselves to Mr. Corey. She has no right to marry him at all events."

"No?" said she. "And why?"

"Because a loveless marriage can never be right."

"But who says it isn't a love match?" she went on, forgetting her anger in her desire to convince him of the futility of interfering with Helen's engagement. "Mr. Corey is a charming man. Why should not Helen care for him?"

"She doesn't. It isn't her own doing. You are sacrificing her."

"As though I could make Helen marry any one she did not wish to!" returned Mrs. Palmer, with a low laugh. "My dear boy, if you feel like that, pray go away until you come to your senses."

"I shall not go away until I have seen Helen," he said doggedly.

"Tom, I beg of you"—

"Why are you two glowering at each other like Kilkenny cats?" cried a fresh young voice from the doorway. "How are you, Tommy?" and Helen Palmer, slender, dark eyed, clad all in soft shimmering gray, entered the room and held out her hand in smiling greeting.

Now that the moment had arrived, words failed him.

Noting his hesitation, she smiled at him again. "Have you come to proffer your congratulations in person?" she asked shyly.

"No, not quite," he said. "Still I suppose one is bound to say something about the clever bargain you have made. That you of all people should prefer money to love!"

"What a perfectly horrid thing to say," she returned indignantly. "Do you suppose because you are a member of the family you are privileged to be as disagreeable as you like?"

"I suppose loving you is being disagreeable," he returned moodily. Mrs. Palmer had slipped from the room, and they were both too intent to hear other footsteps that came nearer up the gravel walk, up the steps, and were muffled by the heavy rugs on the porch outside.

"Loving me! How perfectly absurd! Why didn't you say so before? And not come here now"—

"I came to save you from sacrificing yourself to a loveless marriage," he returned grandiloquently.

"Oh, Tommy, you are too funny," she laughed softly. She raised her eyes and looked steadily into his weak, good looking face.

"Tommy," she said gently, "you must not think that I have any feeling but real honest liking for Mr. Corey. I respect him—I care for him"—

"Of course, he is a very rich man. I understand."

"He is at all events the very best man I have ever met," she returned indignantly. "Of course he has been awfully good about father's troubles, but I should have loved him just the same," she went on, with quick conviction. "He is so good, so kind, so just"—

"Why don't you say that he has money and can shower that upon you?"

"I wish you to understand," she said coldly, "that, while I appreciate Mr. Corey's money, I love him for himself."

Suddenly her mouth quivered and two large tears strolled down her cheeks. "I am so worried about all this," she said unsteadily. "Every one thinks I care for his money. Will no one believe"—

The curtains at the long open window suddenly parted.

"I believe it. Do I count?" said James Corey as he entered the room.

After all, fate sometimes consents to interfere benignly, even in a mercenary affair.

Rising From the Grave.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Atlantic National Bank

At Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the Close of Business January 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 758,809 51
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,531 49
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		50,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		132,200 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		20,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		216,415 41
Due from State Banks and Bankers		142,831 39
Due from approved reserve agents		78,827 07
Checks and other cash items		728 38
Notes of other National banks		15,325 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		2.556 11
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$51,229 50	
Legal tender notes	$45,890 00	97,119 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation		11,876 71
Total		$1,654,200 57

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	97,106 56
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National banks	114,776 74
Due to State Banks and Bankers	173,500 50
Dividends unpaid	566 00
Individual deposits subject to check	842,348 31
Certified checks	22 63
Cashier's checks outstanding	899 83
United States deposits	50,000 00
Total	$1,654,200 57

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

I, J. W. Yates, Cashier of the abovenamed bank, de solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of January, 1907.

W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JAS. H. CHADBOURN,
D. M'EACHERN,
C. W. YATES.
Directors.

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STATEMENT

Report of the Condition of the Southern National Bank at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the Close of Business, January 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 671,990 53
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		5,664 54
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		9,296 88
Banking House furniture and fixtures		5,979 23
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)		280,644 67
Due from State banks and bankers		204,077 21
Due from approved reserve agents		75,331 80
Checks and other cash items		5,409 18
Exchanges for clearing house		10,771 48
Notes of other National banks		1,479 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		389 35
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$16,650	
Legal tender notes	8,000	24,650 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		10,298 35
Total		$1,555,982 25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	15,114 60
Reserved for unearned discount	2,000 00
National bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other national banks	161,226 00
Due to State banks and bankers	206,993 70
Due to Trust Companies and Savings banks	110,602 39
Due to approved reserve agents	131,162 11
Individual Deposits, subject to check	267,517 11
Certified checks	231 42
United States deposits	50,000 00
Notes and bills rediscounted	111,134 92
Total	$1,555,982 25

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

I, C. N. Evans, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Jan. 1907.

C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
MATT J. HEYER,
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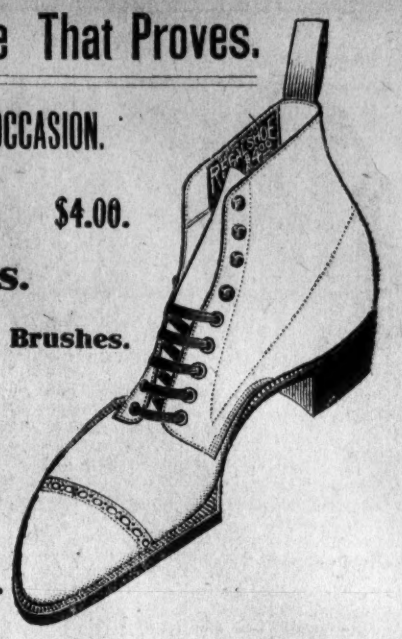

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C. W. MILLS & CO.
jan-15-tf.

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STATEMENT CONDITION

The Murchison National Bank

OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the close of Business, January 26th, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$1,717,894 59
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00
Bank Building	25,000 00
Cash	695,269 55
	$2,788,164 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Surplus and Net Profits	221,029 21
Circulation	300,000 00
Deposits	1,767,134 93
	$2,788,164 14

DEPOSITS.

January 26th, 1905	$1,326,650 44
January 26th, 1906	1,664,322 93
January 26th, 1907	1,767,134 93

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dec 15tf

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Pender Chronicle, Burgaw: One day last week while Mr. Styron was driving home from Currie with his 12-year-old daughter, who was going home from Wilmington, where she attends school, the horse became frightened, ran away and demolished the vehic'e, breaking the little girl's leg in two places and hurting her otherwise very seriously.

—Lumberton, Jan. 31.—Lock Currie, colored, aged about 30 years, died last night at his home near here as the result of injuries received several days ago. He was at work for a sawmill over in South Carolina and in some manner a limb struck him on the head. His skull was broken in several places, and in one place was broken a considerable distance into his head. An operation was performed a few days ago, but there was no hope of recovery.

—Snow Hill, Jan. 31.—Mr. Lovit Hines, who has in charge the construction of the railroad from Kinston to Snow Hill, told a citizen of our town a few days ago that the road would have been much nearer done and that it would have been completed by early Summer but for their inability to get the iron. This is to be furnished by the Norfolk and Southern people. The president, Mr. Gannon, has promised all the expedition possible, and says just as soon as the iron manufacturers can furnish the rail they will be forthcoming.

—Duplin Journal, Faison: Dr. Geo. H. Denny, president of Washington and Lee University, has generously given to the best student of the advanced class of the Faison Academy a $50 scholarship in this splendid university, which is highly appreciated by the Faculty, students and friends of this splendid school. The Faison Academy has done splendid work this year and the students have made fine records and the faculty has done most excellent work. No better school of the kind can be found in Eastern North Carolina.

—Maxton Chief: Dr. A. P. Tyer, pastor of the Methodist Church at Washington, N. C., and president of his Coneference Board of Education, was in Maxton Monday night and Tuesday, meeting with other members of the building committee of the Carolina Methodist College. Mr. Tyer is chairman of the plans and specifications committee. It is understood that the committee is ready to receive bids for plans. It was further decided to start two buildings as soon as possible. An administration building to cost $40,000 and a dormitory for 250 girls at cost of $30,000. Another dormitory of equal capacity will be built as soon as first two buildings are completed.

—Raleigh News and Observer: A conference of the executive committee of the commissioners from North Carolina to the Jamestown Exposition was held yesterday to make definite arrangements about proceeding with the work. Members of the executive committee are, George S. Powell, G. W. Hinshaw and H. C. Dockery, all of whom were present. Plans were mapped out by the committee for prosecuting the work in a vigorous manner, and they will immediately begin to get the exhibit in the proper shape. In addition to the $30,000 appropriated by the last general assembly, $20,000 was appropriated this week and the money is now available. Work on the North Carolina building is progressing well, the foundation having already been laid. All the material for the building is now on the ground. It appears now that the building will certainly be finished in ample time and all of the material having been secured is a hopeful sign that it will be completed within the time specified in the contract.

—Pender Chronicle, Burgaw: There was an important meeting of the citizens of Burgaw at the court house on last Friday night, to discuss the necessity and advisability of erecting in the near future a new school building. And after mature deliberation a motion unanimously prevailed to proceed to erect a building to cost about five thousand dollars. It was further decided to ask the Legislature now in session to pass a bill allowing the county commissioners to levy a special tax if necessary to cover the cost to the district of proposed building, and Mr. J. T. Bland was asked to draw the bill at once. It is proposed to borrow three thousand dollars from the State literary fund to be paid back in ten annual instalments at 4 per cent. interest per annum. The building is a certainty, and when erected will be a credit to the town and county. It is hoped that arrangements may be made whereby the Burgaw school will become a High School for the county, admitting students on certain conditions and restrictions free of tuition from other schools of the county. The plans are to erect ready for occupancy the new building by the opening of the fal' term.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Feb. 1: The many friends of Hon. Edwin Kerr, of Clinton, will regret to learn that he met with an accident yesterday afternoon in which his leg was broken. He came to Raleigh Tuesday on business of a legal nature, and was stopping at the Capitol Inn. Yesterday afternoon about two o'clock he started down stairs at the hotel and when near the bottom of the stairway, he fell, breaking both bones of the left leg just above the ankle. Rev. E. Pope, proprietor of the hotel, heard a noise on the stairway and went down to find Mr. Kerr in a sitting posture, but helpless. Mr. Pope 'phoned at once for an ambulance and the injured man was taken quickly to the Rex Hospital, where Drs. J. R. Rogers and R. A. Royster were called and set the bones. He was getting along well last night. He had intended to leave for his home on eastbound train at 5:39. Mr. Kerr was several times a member of the Senate from Sampson county, and is one of the leading lawyers of his section.

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Owner and Editor,

WILMINGTON, -:- -:- -:- N. C.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Feb. 1, 1907.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, quiet, 70 1-2c.

ROSIN—Market firm $3.90.

TAR—Market firm $2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $3 35 per barrel for hard, $4.50 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine firm 65 1-2; rosin firm $3.50; tar firm $1.80; crude turpentine firm $2,50, $4.50 and $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	24
Rosin	111
Tar	266
Crude Turpentine	68

Receipts same day last year—28 casks spirits turpentine; 326 barrels rosin; 129 barrels tar; 58 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady 10 1-8c.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts, 875 bales; same day last year, 413 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.20; extra prime, $1.25; fancy, $1.35@$1.40 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—Prime, 95c.; extra prime, $1.00; fancy, $1.19@$1.20; Spanish, $1.20@$1.25.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 17@18c per pound; shoulders, 12to 13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Dull at 18@20c.

CHICKENS—Firm 20@30c for small grown 35@40c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-4c per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 7 to 8.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Feb. 1.—The cotton market was nervous and irregular during to-day's session, with an advance during the middle session followed by rather a sharp break in the late trading. The close was barely steady at an advance of one point on February, but generally 2 to 4 points net lower. Sales for the day were estimated at 125,000 bales The opening was steady at an advance of 1 to 3 points on covering of shorts and a little buying promoted by steady cables. Prices broke to a net loss of 2 to 3 points immediately after the call ,but were quickly rallied by the continued firmness of Liverpool, buying of the near months, by Liverpool people and the demand for the new crop, from parties who were selling the near positions for a widening of the dierence. Rumors of floods in the Memphis district also helped the market to some extent and at one time prices were about 5 to 6 points net higher on the active months But it was claimed that the floods could do no damage at this time of the year,, the into sight figures were heavy pointing to a bearish visible supply statement tomorrow and the market eased off in the late trading on a profit taking by some of yesterday's buyers and a renewal of nearby liquidation. The close was at the lowest point of the session.

Exports for the day were nearly double the port receipts. Southern spot markets were generally unchanged. Receipts at the ports to-day were 44,681 bales against 49,090 last week and 16,858 last year. For the week 275,000 bales against 299,155 last week and 132,368 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans were 5,771 against 2,708 last year and at Houston 12,241 against 7,221 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 11.00; middling gulf 11.25; sales 2,675 bales. Futures closed barely steady.

Month	Open	Closing bid
February	9.10	9.04
March	9.20	9.15
April	9.29	9 22
May	9.38	9.32
June	9.39	9.37
July	9.47	9.43
August	9.46	9.41
September	9.56	9.49
October	9.75	9.70
December	9.83	9.79
January	—	9.89

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, Feb. 1,—The following are the total receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1:

Galveston	2,849,777
New Orleans	1,690,816
Mobile	211,306
Savannah	1,206,545
Charleston	124,968
Wilmington	281,959
Norfolk	431,154
Baltimore	35,927
New York	13,054
Boston	41,554
Newport News	22,556
Philadelphia	4,275
San Francisco	47,816
Brunswick	116,311
Port Townsend	61,855
Pensacola	103,915
Port Arthur & Sabine Pass	98,835
Jacksonville	5,975
Laredo	394
Minor Ports	12,222
Total	7,361,214

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 10 11-16; net receipts, 19,089.

New Orleans—Steady, 10 1-2; net receipts, 5,771.

Mobile—Steady, 10 1-4; net receipts, 1,720.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 3,16; net receipts, 6,283.

Charleston—Quiet, 10; net receipts, 607.

Wilmington—Steady, 10 1-8; net receipts, 875.

Norfolk—Steady, 10 1-2; net receipts, 1,664.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 3-4; net receipts, 1,441.

New York—Steady, 11.

Boston—Steady, 11; net receipts, 269.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.25.

Newport News—Net receipts, 1,457.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 4,805.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 100.

Total today at all ports—Net receipts, 44,081; Great Britain, 39,774; continent, 48,402; stock, 1,147,201.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 305,660; Great Britain, 176,621; France, 10,936; continent, 158,091; Japan, 59.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 761,274; Great Britain, 2,650,951; France, 647,250; continent, 2,246,537; Japan, 122,835.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 10 11-16; net receipts, 12,241.

Augusta—Steady, 10 7-8; net receipts, 1,088.

Memphis—Steady, 10 7-16; net receipts, 1,096.

St. Louis—Steady, 10 1-2; net receipts, 629.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,295.

Louisville—Firm, 10 1-4; net receipts, 436.

Total—Net receipts, 17,785; gross receipts, 25,850; shipments, 23,135; sales, 4,196; stock, 332,558.

Liverpool Markets.

Liverpool, Feb. 1.—Cotton: Spot, good business done. American middling, fair, 6.67; good middling, 5.21; middling, 5.87; low middling, 5.59; good ordinary, 5.19; ordinary, 4.95.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 2,000 were for speculation and export and included 8,900 American. Receipts, 8,000 bales, including 73,700 American. Futures opened steady and closed firm. American middling, G. O. C., February, 5.54 1-2; February and March, 5.50 1-2; March and April, 5.49; April and May, 5.48; May and June, 5.47; June and July, 5.46; July and August, 5.43 1-2; August and September, 5.39; September and October, 5.36; October and November, 5.34; November and December, 5.34; December and January, 5.34; January and February, 5.35.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Feb. 1.—The dry goods market held strong to-day with prices on cottons showing an advancing tendency. Bleached goods responding to the advance of 1-2c a yard announced in ticketed lines yesterday. Outing flannels had a free sale. Most of the leading staple cottons were at value. Staple dress goods moved freely. Raw wools were steady and fairly active. Cotton yarns were firmer on the fine lines.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Feb. 1.—Money on call, easy, 2 1-2 to 3; ruling rate, 2 3-4; closing bid, 2; offered at 2 1-2; time loans, dull and steady; 60 days, 5 to 90 days 5 1-4 and 5 1-2; six months, 5 1-2 to 5 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5 3-4 to 6 1-2 per cent.; Sterling exchange, weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4,8460 to 4.8465 for demand, and at 4.8050 to 4.8060 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.82 to 4.82 1-2 and 4.86 to 4.86 1-2. Commercial bills, 4.80 1-4. Bar silver, 68 1-8. Mexican dollars, 52 3-4.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	105
U. S. refunding 2s cou	105
U. S. 3s reg	102 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	102 1-4
U. S. Old 4s reg	101
U. S. 4s cou	101
U. S. New 4s reg	129
U. S. new 4s cou, ex. int.	129
American Tobacco Co. 4s	76 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s	108 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	98 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	101 7-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	101 3-8
Seaboard Air Line	81
Southern Railway	113
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd	98 5-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	111 1-4
American Sugar Refining	130 1-4
American Tobacco Co.	96
Atlantic Coast Line	119 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	115 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	92
Chesapeake & Ohio	49
L. & N.	133
New York Central	125 1-8
Norfolk & Western	82 1-2
Norfolk & Western pfd	81 1-2
Peoples' Gas	95 1-4
Reading	120
Reading 1st pfd	89
Reading 2nd pfd	89 1-2
Southern Pacific	92 1-8
Southern Pacific pfd	117 1-2
Southern Railway	26
Southern Railway pfd	84 5-8
Tenn. Coal & Iron	150
U. S. Steel	43 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd	105 1-8
Va-Car. Chemical	32
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	104 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	510
Western Union	82 1-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Feb. 1.—FLOUR—Steady but quiet.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot, irregular; options, 3-4c net lower; May, 84 1-2; July, 83 7-8.

CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2, 56 1-4 elevator; options, 3-8c net lower; May, 53 1-4; July, 53 1-8.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 42c.

LARD—Barely steady; Western prime, 9.80 to 9.90; refined, quiet; continent, 10.25; S. A., 10.75; compound, 8 1-2 to 8 3-4.

PORK—Firm.

TALLOW—Firm.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 2 31-32; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 15-32; molasses sugar, 2 23-32; refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, steady; No. 7, 7c; Santos, 4s, 8c; mild coffee, steady; Cordova, 9 to 12 1-2c; futures, unchanged to 5 points higher.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Easier; nearby selected, white, 30 to 31; choice, 28 to 29; brown and mixed extras, 28; firsts to extra firsts, 25 1-2 to 27; Western firsts, 25 1-2; seconds, 23 1-2 to 25.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS—Quiet, unchanged.

POTATOES AND CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Easy in the absence of the bull support. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 37; prime Summer yellow, 43 1-2 asked; prime white, 52; prime Winter yellow, 51 1-2.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Reports of favorable weather in the southeast for the fall sown crop was the chief reason to-day for a weak condition in the local wheat market. At the close May wheat was down one cent per bushel. Corn was off 3-8c. Oats were 1-8@1-4c lower. Provision were 10 to 17 1-2c lower.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—May, 77 7-8; July, 77 3-4; September, 77 7-8.

Corn—February, 43; May, 46 3-8; July, 46 1-8; September, 46 1-2.

Oats—February, 37; May, 39 to 39 1-8; July, 36 1-8; September, 32 1-2.

Mess Pork, per barrel—May, 17.17 1-2; July, 17.32 1-2.

Lard, per 100 pounds—May, 9.80; July, 9.85; eptember, 9.97 1-2.

Short Ribs, per 100 pounds—May, 9.60; July, 9.67 1-2.

Cash quotations where as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 80@83; No. 3, 72@82; No. 2 red, 73 7-8@74 7-8; No. 2 corn, 43; No. 2 yellow, 44; No. 2 oats, 37; No. 2 white, 39 1-2; No. 3 white, 37 1-4@39; No. 2 rye, 62 1-2; short ribs sides (loose) 9.37 1-2@9.62 1-2; mess pork per barrel, 16.90; lard, per 100 pounds, 9.65; short clear sides (boxed), 9.30@9.75; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Feb. 1.—Turpentine, firm, 74 1-2 to 75; rosin, firm, strained common to good, 4.40 to 4.45.

Savannah, Feb. 1.—Turpentine, firm 71; sales, 32; receipts, 319; shipments, 250.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,464; receipts, 1,660; shipments, 1,180; stock, 83,208.

Quote: A. B. C. D. E., 4.10; F., 4.10; to 4.22 1-2; G., 4.10 to 4.22 1-2; H., 4.10 to 4.30; I., 4.35; K., 5.00; M., 5.25; N., 5.80; W. G., 6.25; W. W., 6.50.

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Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, Feb. 1, 1907.

C. C. Railroad—22 bales cotton; 14 barrels tar; 23 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—313 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels tar.

W. C. & A. Railroad—445 bales cotton; 5 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—17 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—3 casks spirits turpentine; 61 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lyon—95 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin; 220 barrels tar; 11 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—875 bales cotton; 24 casks spirits turpentine; 111 barrels rosin; 266 barrels tar; 68 barrels crude turpentine.

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Methebeseck, 318 tons, Outhouse, C. D. Maffitt.

Hartney (Br.), 271 tons, Wasson, C. D. Maffitt.

Margaret M. Ford. 291 tons, Webster, C. D. Maffitt.

As a result of a conference at the White House yesterday between the President, Secretary Taft and General Bell, chief of staff, an order has been issued directing an increase of the rural guard of Cuba from 6,000 to 10,000 men. The purpose is to avoid increasing the number of American troops in the island as originally intended, the native guards being more acceptible to the people.

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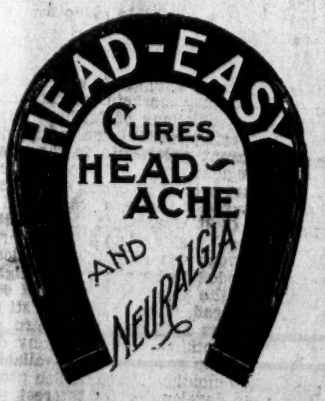

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Basting Cotton per spool	1c	15c Box Papers, per box	9c
Hooks and Eyes, per card	1c	35c Brooms	25c
The Best Brass Pins, per paper	4c	Ladies' Plain Handkerchiefs	3c
5c Safety Pins, per dozen	3c	Men's Ties	3c
10c Tooth Brushes	5c	Men's Collars, each	3c
Children's Hose, per pair	5c	5c Hair Pins, per box	3c
6c Wash Basins	4c	5c Mucilage, per bottle	3c
10c Wash Basins	7c	6 Boxes Carpet Tacks	5c
5c Pie Pans	2c	4 Boxes Matting Tacks	5c
5c Tin Cups	2c	Glass Molasses Pots	9c
6c Dippers	4c	10c Berry Dishes	6c
6 Tea Spoons for	8c	10c Glass Dishes, each	6c
5c Hair Combs	3c	10c Lamp Shades	7c
5c Fine Combs	3c	5c Linen Thread, per spool	3c
5c Buttons, per dozen	3c	10c Witch Hazel Soap	4c
5c Talcum Powder, per box	3c	No. 1 Lamp Burners	4c
5c Toilet Soap	2c	No. 2 Lamp Burners	6c
5c Towels	3 1-2c	Leather Shoe Soles, per pair	9c
5c Glasses, each	3c	5c Coat Springs	2c
10c Tumblers	5c	5c Lead Pencils	2c
10c Spoon Holders	7c	Slate Pencils, per dozen	2c
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THE THAW JURY NOW COMPLETE

Last of Twelve Selected Yesterday But There May Be Change.

ELEVEN ARE MARRIED MEN

Court Took Recess Till Monday and Then Thaw May Face Trial For Murder of Stanford White Last June.

New York, Feb. 1.—The Thaw jury was completed at 4:37 P. M. today, by the acceptance of Bernard Gerstman, 36 years of age, married. There may yet be some removals from the jury, however, as all talesmen not yet examined have been ordered to report in court Monday morning.

The Thaw jury, as completed late today, follows:

Foreman, Deming B. Smith, 55, retired manufacturer, married.

No. 2, George Pfaff, 34, hardware, married.

No. 3, Charles H. Fecke, 35, shipping agent, married.

No.4, Oscar A. Pink, 46, salesman, married.

No. 5, Henry C. Harney, 50, pianos, married.

No. 6, Harry C. Broarley, 35, advertising agent, married.

No. 7, Malcolm S. Frazier, 40, salesman, married.

No.8, Charles D. Newton, 65, retired railway official, married.

No. 9, Wilbur S. Steele, manufacturer, married.

No. 10, John S. Deneen, 36, railway freight agent, unmarried.

No. 11, Joseph P. Bolton, 57, clerk, married.

No. 12, Bernard Gerstman, 36, manufacturers' agent, married.

The selection of the twelfth juror came as a complete surprise at the end of a long and tedious day—the eighth of the trial—and immediately after this last member of the trial panel had been sworn in, Justice Fitzgerald ordered District Attorney Jerome, who had been contending yesterday afternoon for the removal of one of the men now in the jury box, but who has failed to gain the consent of the defendant's counsel, was still reluctant as court adjourned today to begin the actual proceedings without a further opportunity to plead with Thaw's attorneys. At his request, therefore, Justice Fitzgerald ordered all talesmen who have not yet been examined to be in court Monday morning ready for jury service in case any are needed. Mr. Jerome then announced that if there should be no change in the situation in the meantime the State would proceed to place all its idrect testimony before the jury at the Monday morning session. The defense was notified to be in readiness to proceed by Monday afternoon.

"We are entirely satisfied with the jury," said Clifford W. Hartridge, Thaw's leading counsel, tonight, and he added the intimation that he would not consent to any further alterations of the personnel.

"The defense will be ready to proceed the minute the prosecution has finished its case," declared John B. Gleason, one of Thaw's attorneys.

Assistant District Attorney Garvan will make the opening address for the prosecution. His remarks will be very brief, occupying not more than 20 minutes. The State will then introduce only such witnesses as are necessary to prove that Stanford White was shot and killed by Harry K. Thaw on the Madison Square Roof Garden the night of June 25, last.

In announcing that the introduction will not require more than one session of the court, Mr. Jerome is evidently of the opinion that the cross-examination of the state's witnesses as to the actual events associated with the tragedy may not be very extensive.

From the questions which have so persistently been put to the talesmen by Thaw's attorneys, as to any prejudice against a defense of insanity, it is at last generally conceded that a plea of emotional insanity will be the main reliance of the young defendant. This probably will lead to a cross-questioning of the State's witnesses as to any peculiarity they may have noticed in Thaw's conduct the night of the tragedy, in which event the conclusion of the State's direct testimony may take longer than is now anticipated.

Thaw seemed to be in the best of spirits as the juror was sworn. Forty talesmen had been examined in vain during the day and every one in the court room, including the defendant himself, was waiting listlessly for the hour of adjournment to arrive, when Bernard Gerstman, who said he was a manufacturer's agent, declared he had no such opinion in the case as would prevent his rendering a fair and impartial verdict, that he was not prejudiced against any line of defense, and would give the prisoner the benefit of every reasonable doubt.

"But," suggested District Attorney Jerome, "would you go further than that and require the state to remove every possibility of doubt?"

"I would certainly want every doubt removed," replied Gerstman, "before I would vote to convict in a capital case." The district attorney challenged the juror for cause, declaring he was inclined to be more exacting than the law. Thaw's attorneys were not content to let the talesman go, and on cross examination they brought his answers within the legal requirements, Mr. Gerstman replying to Mr. Hartridge that he meant by "doubt" any doubt that a reasonable man might entertain. Justice Fitzgerald held this to be a competent answer, and overruled District Attorney Jerome's challenge.

"The people are content," announced Mr. Jerome.

This was a complete surprise, for it was the impression in the court room that a peremptory challenge would be interposed by the prosecution. The juror was sworn. Thaw smiled in evident satisfaction, he and his wife exchanging satisfied glances.

Rumors were in circulation throughout the day that one and possibly two more jurors were to be excused from further service, and added to the list of those who have been examined and sworn, only to be subsequently released, in some cases without explanation. There were several conferences of the attorneys and it was stated that Thaw's counsel positively refused to consent to any further removals. The day's event bore out this statement. At the noon recess Mr. Jerome made another successful effort to gain his end.

Until the interesting circumstance attending the completion of the panel in the afternoon, there had been but one incident of note in the court room. This was a sensational move by Assistant District Garvan, who again today continued to inquire of the talesmen if they had been approached or spoken to about the case in any way since being summoned as possible jurors. One of the talesmen at the afternoon session admitted that he had spoken with several persons who sat near him in the court. He was not personally acquainted with them.

"Roger O'Nara, stand up," shouted Mr. Garvan.

Then for the first time since the trial began the presence in court of the Pittsburg detective who has been employed by the Thaw family to gather evidence for the defendant was revealed. He arrived in the city Wednesday, but came to court this afternoon on his initial visit.

"O'Nara promptly arose and face the talesman.

"Is that the man you spoke with?" Mr. Garvan asked dramatically.

"It is not," the talesman replied. I never saw him before in my life, Counsel. That counsels objected and then, in retaliation, Mr. Hartridge, when he took the talesman required County Detective Hammond, of the district attorney, to stand and face the man under examination.

"Is that the man who spoke to you?" he inquired.

The witness said it was not, and further declared he had only commented with some of his neighbors in the court in a general way.

Since the artists were banished from the court room by Justice Fitzgerald, the Countess of Yarmouth and Mrs. Carnegie removed their veils soon after taking their seats. Mrs. Harry Thaw, however, has not once lifted the veil which she wears.

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GORMAN ELECTED MR. CLEVELAND

Senate Yesterday Paid Tribute to Memory of Late Maryland Senator.

EULOGIES BY REPUBLICANS

Senator Frye, of Maine Declared That Senator Gorman Defeated Blaine and Made Cleveland President—Splendid Tribute by Aldrich.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senators paid tribute to-day to the memory of the late Senator Arthur Pue Gorman, of Maryland. All business for the day was suspended at 2:30 o'clock, according to a special order and eulogies were delivered and resolution passed expressing the profound sorrow of the death of the Maryland Senator. Senator Rayner, the firsts peaker, reviewed the Senator's life, and paid high tribute to his characteristics, both as a private citizen and public servant.

Former Senator Henry Gassaway Davis, who, largely at the instance of Senator Gorman, was made the Vice Presidential candidate on the Democratic ticket in the last campaign, was present in the chamber, as was his brother, Representative Davis. In the Senator's gallery sat the late Senator's son, State Senator Gorman, of Maryland, and members of the family.

Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, who was to have spoken, being called from the chamber, Mr. Kean, of New Jersey, read his remarks. The statement prepared by Mr. Aldrich, after reviewing Mr. Gorman's public services, says:

"This record of successful political political leadership in many fields has hardly a parallell in the history of the country. Mr. Gorman's supremacy in this respect never surprised those who had the most thorough understanding and appreciation of his qualities of mind and heart. He was wise, skillful and resourceful and his genial presence and magnetic personality at once inspired confidence and secured allegiance."

Senator Frye spoke of the charges of corrupt practices made against Mr. Gorman as a political leader and said that he did not believe them to have the least foundation in fact. He did, however, regard him as a political manager of rare skill and he gave to the Maryland Senator credit for the success of Mr. Cleveland's campaign against Mr. Blaine, much of which he thought was due to the prompt advantage taken by him of the famous "Rum, Romanism and Rebellion" speech in New York.

Eulogies were also delivered by Senators Allison, of Iowa, Clay, of Georgia; Hale, of Maine; Cullom, of Illinois; Blackburn, of Kentucky; Spooner, of Wisconsin; Overman, of North Carolina; Elkins, of West Virginia; Carmack, of Tennessee; Tillman, of South Carolina, and Whyte, of Maryland.

Previous to this order many bill of minor importance were passed, including a measure increasing the salaries of city mail carriers, making the first year's salary $600, with an annual increase of $100 until a maximum of $1,200 has been reached. Another bill passed increases the pension of all Indian war survivors from $8 to $10 per month.

ALARMING REPORT DENIED BY ROOT

Secretary Made No Declaration That War With Japan Was Imminent

NO ULTIMATUM RECEIVED

Mr. Root Refuses to Talk About Conference at White House Concerning San Francisco School Controversy—Sensational Rumors.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Feb. 1.—Secretary Root positively refuses to make any statement touching the Japanese situation, in its relation to the conference which took place at the White House Wednesday evening between the President and some of the Cabinet and the California Congressional delegation. He does, however, enter a sweeping denial of the authenticity of any of the published interviews attributed to him as to the imminence of war, or the state of the treaty negotiations, or indeed any phase of this subject, which he regards as one eminently unsuited for public discussion at this time.

The Japanese Ambassador is not accessible to newspaper reporters; he declined to be seen this afternoon, but the members of the embassy staff affirm that he had not authorized any newspaper statement on this subject.

The fact appears to be that a statement in the press cable dispatches, ascribed to Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Minister for Foreign Affairs, to the effect that in the event that the courts upheld the San Francisco officials, then the matter of discrimination against Japanese would require diplomatic treatment, was in some quarters erroneously attributed to Secretary Root, who has been put in the position of stating that he had received an ultimatum from the Japanese Minister for Foreign Affairs. Mr. Root denies that he has received any such communication and careful inquiry fails to show that the alleged remark of Baron Hayashi has ever been communicated officially to this government.

It was said at the Navy Department today as an evidence of the slight importance attached by naval officers to the present discussion of Japanese relations, that there was not the slightest intention on the part of the Department of strengthening the American naval force on either side of the Pacific.

BUSINESS UNPRECEDENTED.

Stock Tumbled, But Commercial Operations in Full Swing.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Feb. 1.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Although the average of the sixty most active railway securities fell this week to the lowest points since 1904, there was no corresponding reaction in commercial activity, which continued beyond precedent. Reports from leading manufacturing centers indicate that scarcely any idle machinery can be found preparation for future trade evidencing a confidence in well maintained consumption. Forward business is most extensive in the iron and steel manufacture and the cotton industry, but other prominent producers have liberal contracts on hand, also, and the mercantile outlook is bright. Wholsale houses receive large contracts for Spring delivery, especially in dry goods lines, and the settled Winter weather has produced a wholesale reduction in retail stocks of heavy-weight wearing apparel, and other seasonable merchandise.

Notable strength is still the feature in primary markets for cotton goods, and predictions of further advances are being realized constantly, despite apparent precedents to the contrary. A regular resume of the situation discloses a level of prices and a scarcity of supplies that has not existed since the Civil War, while there is the additional factor of no element threatening weakness, although quotations are conceded to be abnormally high. But with the production of mills sold so far ahead, there is no interesti n new business and spot stocks are practically nothing, while in many departments no goods will be available fofr some months. As to woolen goods the next development of interest will be the opening of higher grades, notably fancy worsteds, about which nothing definite is known.

New England footwear manufacturers report liberal supplementary Spring orders from eastern wholesalers and are operating all machinery in filling these contracts.

AVENGED SISTER'S DEATH.

Mysterious Murder of Dr. Townsend in New York Explained.

New York, Feb. 1.—"I took an oath at sis' coffin that I would avenge the death and I'm going to keep my word. I must for, before God, I am right, and I hope he will be merciful and forgive this rash act."

This statement, in a letter signed "John Bell," and which the police believe was written by the John Bell now under arrest in connection with the murder of Dr. C. W. Townsend, at New Brighton, S. I., is the latest bit of evidence against the accused man. The letter was received by Oscar Quirk, of Steinway, L. I., and was recovered and made public by the police today. It is dated January 26, and was mailed in Brooklyn shortly after noon on that day. Dr. Townsend was shot and fatally wounded in his house early in the morning of that day, almost exactly a year to the hour after Bell's wife died in a Staten Island Hospital. Dr. Townsend was the attending physician. It is the theory of the police that Dr. Townsend's slayer was actuated by revenge.

SEABOARD BRIDGE DOWN WITH TRAIN

Double-Header Freight of Two Engines and Twelve Cars In River.

TWO TRAINMEN WERE KILLED

Bridge Over Roanoke River, Near Norlina, N. C., is Total Wreck—Trains From Richmond Running Over Atlantic Coast Line.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 1.—The Seaboard Air Line bridge over the Roanoke river near Norlina, N. C., gave way this afternoon under a double header freight train bound south from Richmond. Both locomotives and 12 freight cars dropped into the river. Engineer Curtis Constable, whose home was Union Hill, N. J., was so badly injured that he died while being brought to this city. Fireman Riggan was killed.

The bridge is a complete wreck. Several days will be required to repair. In the meantime all north and south Seaboard trains are brought over the Atlantic Coast Line tracks from Richmond to Weldon, N. C.

ADMIRAL DAVIS COMMENDED.

His Action at Kingston Approved By President Roosevelt.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Feb. 1.—In unequivocal terms President Roosevelt today approved Admiral Davis' entire action in connection with his visit to Kingston, Jamaica, to render aid to the stricken city, and in addition requested the Secretary of the Navy to express to Admiral Davis his heartiest commendation of all that he did.

The long expected report of Admiral Davis of the circumstances leading to the withdrawal of the fleet from Kingston reached the Navy Department today, and was at once laid before the President. Inasmuch as the President already has announced that the diplomatic phase of the case is a closed incident, the report itself will not be made public, but late today Secretary Metcalf gave out the letter of Admiral Evans, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, warmly commending Admiral Davis for his conduct of a situation "which was, to say the least, somewhat embarrassing."

The correspondence is supplemented by a strong letter of commendation of Admiral Davis by the President and by Secretary Metcalf, who adds his approval and recommendation of Admiral Davis' "distinguished service to humanity."

The hearing of the case against Alderman W. S. Clifford, on charges of bribery in the election of a recorder of the court of General Sessions in New York, ended yesterday in the arrest of Alderman Henry C. Peters and John J. Cronin, on charges of perjury. Alderman Clifford was held in $10,000 bail for the grand jury. Alderman Peters, the leader of the municipal ownership members of the Board, was held in $2,500 bail and Alderman Cronin was paroled on his own recognizance for a hearing next Friday.

Remember last day of bargain sale at Rehder's; 10c quality dress ginghams; beautiful patterns 7 1-2c yard.

Chocolates that most stores sell for 50c the pound, 35c at the Carl B. Rehder Candy Company. **

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These tiny CAPSULES are superior to Balsam of Copaiba, Cubebs or Injections, and RELIEVES in 24 HOURS the same diseases without inconvenience. (MIDY)

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300 Dressed and Live Chickens must be sold Today.

Palace Market,

Phone No. 72 Cor 2nd & Market

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300 Barrels Large Mullets, our own pack., 100 lbs. guaranteed to every barrel.

25 Barrels Nice Large Roe.

One Car Load Georgia Cane Syrup. Best quality that we could buy. It is very fine.

100 Cases California Evaporated Peaches

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Several Car Loads of other Staples too numerous to mention.. Let us quote you.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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WANTED—Competent white janitor without large family to stay on the premises of the Wilmington Light Infantry. Address Box 136. fe-2-1t

AN ENTERTAINMENT will be given in the School House at East Wilmington Monday night, Feb. 4th, at 8 o'clock. There will be jokes, funny songs and dances. Admission 10 and 20 cents. fe 2-2t

TICKETS for the Charity Ball to be given under the auspices of the Ministering Circle on Friday, February 8, are for sale at the residences of Mrs. J. K. Wise, 202 South Third Street, and Mrs. H. R. Savage, 306 Orange Street. Also at Yates and DeRossets' book stores. The number of tickets is limited.

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A MARRIED COUPLE or two young men can obtain board by applying to Mrs. W. H. Howell, No. 716 Market street. fe 1-3t.

..FOR SALE AT ONCE—Corner lot, 33x165 feet, two-story six-room house, in the most growing residential part of the city. See us at once, as house must be sold. J. G. Wright & Son. fe 1-3t

BOY—About 14 years old is wanted at The Star Office to bring water, make fires, go on errands, etc. Apply immediately. ja 31-tf

SMART COLORED BOY—About 16 years old, is wanted at The Star Office. Good recommendations required. ja 31-3t

WANTED—Two or three rooms for light housekeeping in good location. Family of three. Address "R. G." care of Star. ja30-3t

BOARD—Room and board in private family for two young men. Apply 212 Walnut street. Phone 454. jan 19 tf

TO FARMERS—Keith's Phosphate Lime will increase your crops, build up your soil and save you money; some of the best farmers say too much cannot be said in its favor, especially if mixed with a little high grade guano, cotton seed meal or compost. For prices and testimonials address B. F. Keith, Wilmington, N. C., jc-1m

MEN AND WOMEN ARE MAKING $10 to $25 day selling our embroidery goods. No capital or experience required. Why not you? Write for samples and exclusive agency. U. S. Embroidery Works, Omaha, Neb. j9-1m*

FOR SALE—Nice residence on North Third street. Apply to W. M. Cumming, Real Estate and Notary. jan-18-tf.

WANTED—By the first of February two boarders. Can furnish a large airy room with southwest exposure. The room is an unusually large one, and will easily accommodate three men. Apply to Mrs. Cronly, 504 Orange street. jan-27-6t.

FOR SALE—Four fine mules, ranging in price from $125 to $200. Sold separately or in pairs. Apply to J. A. Perry, Castle Haynes, N. C. ja-11-tf.

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A desirable store on Princess street, 66 feet deep. Possession given Jan. 10th.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

ATLANTIC TRUST AND BANKING CO.

At Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business January 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$643,203 54
Furniture and Fixtures	100 00
Demand loans	11,950 00
Due from Banks and Bankers	25,816 61
Cash items	1,155 75
Gold coin	345 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	505 42
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	1,745 00
Total	$684,821 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	$ 24,963 09
Dividends unpaid	27 00
Deposits subject to check	593,344 54
Demand Certificates of deposit	13,105 99
Cashier's Checks outstanding	880 70
Accrued interest due depositors	2,500 00
Total	$684,821 32

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON L. CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 31st day of January, 1907.

W. B. DRAKE, Jr., Notary Public.

Commission expires August 21, 1908.

Correct—Attest:

M. O'BRIEN,
B. SOLOMON,
J. G. L. GIESCHEN,
Directors.

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New Passenger Station, FLORENCE, S. C.

Proposals will be received at this office until February 15th, 1907, for building a brick passenger station, complete, at Florence, S. C.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. A. H. Porter, Engineer Roadway, C. & W. C. R. R. Co., Augusta, Ga.; at the office of Mr. J. P. Walker, Assistant Engineer, Atlantic Coast Line Depot, Charleston, and at this office.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY, E. B. Pleasants, Chief Engineer, Wilmington, N. C.

ja 31-3t

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administratrix of Nettie Turner, deceased, all persons indebted to the said Nettie Turner are hereby notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said Nettie Turner must present them within twelve months of date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

MELISSA C. WELLS,

jan-12-wky-4w-sat.

NICE MULLETS HALF-PRICE

21,900 POUNDS LARGE MULLETS. (Half Price of Rib Sides.)

38,200 LBS. ASSORTED TOBACCO. (10 to 80 cents pound.)

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